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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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: Examiner: A. Fischer

RIKIO SHIBA, et al.

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: Group Art Unit: 3627

Appln. No.: 09/975,968

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Filed: October 15, 2001

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For: COLLECTING METHOD BY
INFORMATION PROCESSOR, AND
ORDERING METHOD OR SALE
METHOD

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: April 12, 2005

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Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 14, 2004, the period for response to which having been extended to April 14, 2005 by the accompanying Petition For Extension Of Time with fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows: